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JASPER MAN INDICTED FOR POSSESSION OF SEXUALLY EXPLICIT MATERIAL INVOLVING MINORS

PRESS RELEASE

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced today that ROGER W. DEICH, 36, of Jasper, Indiana, was indicted by a federal grand jury sitting in Indianapolis for the offenses of attempted receipt and possession of sexually explicit material involving minors following an investigation by the United States Postal Inspection Service.

The indictment alleges that DEICH possessed a number of computer file images depicting minors engaged in sex acts and that he attempted to receive a video tape depicting minors engaged in sex acts.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Todd S. Shellenbarger, who is

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prosecuting the case for the government, DEICH faces a maximum possible prison sentence of 15 years and a maximum possible fine of \$250,000. An initial hearing will be scheduled before a U.S. Magistrate Judge in Evansville.

The charge is an allegation only, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial or by guilty plea.

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